

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 20, 2007

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2007, Attorney for Applicant in the above-identified Application files the following Response.

Should the present response incur any fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to our Deposit Account 19-1800 (or to credit this account for refunding any amount in excess of requirements).

At the time the Office Action issued, claims 1-4 were pending.

Amendments to the Specification are discussed on page 2.

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